



Emerging Workforce (Youth) Committee

Minutes

Butler Clermont Warren/Workforce Development Board
Jan 11, 2023 at 2:00 PM EST

Attendance

Present: Remote

Members: Callie Amann, Jessica Dean, Riley O'Grady, Anthony Riccido, Todd Schilling, Jesse Simmons, Chelsea Engel, Karen Karnes

Staff: Becky Ehling, Traci Stivers, Amy Miller, Daphne Reeves

Absent: Andreas Brockman, Matt Fetty, Michelle Geiman, Justin Phillips

I. Welcome & Attendance (Presenters: Andreas Brockmann)

Becky Ehling chaired meeting and opened meeting at 2:01pm

A. Minutes from Dec 14, 2022

Becky has not had the opportunity to transcribe the minutes from the past 2 committee meetings but will try to have all for the next meeting.

II. Roles & Responsibilities (Presenters: Andreas Brockmann)

Roles are attached to agenda for committee members as informational use only, no actions are needed.

 [Youth Committee Roles and Responsibilities.docx](#)

III. Committee Updates

A. OMJ (Presenters: Amy Miller)

Amy Miller reported at the Butler OMJ was flooded and they are working on getting repairs done. She reports they are going to work on scheduling Independent Living, classes ages 14 and above will complete an assessment that coincides with CCMEP. She also reported for an FYI that TikTok is being banned from all government entities.

B. Easterseals (Presenters: Callie Amann, Jessica Dean)

Jessica reports Esterseals is continuing to work on pilot programs. She reports that they are working with Warren County OMJ to host a micro career fair. She updated that they have had 52 pre apprentices enrolled in the past 2 years, which has exceeded past program enrollments.

C. Aspire (Presenters: Karen Karnes)

Karen presents that they are seeing an uptick in ESL language learners.

D. Youth Initiative (Presenters: Riley O'Grady, Joe Schroeder)

Riley shares Joe has a new position at Mason Highschool. New email provided in chat for Joe. Scheduling new career tours for youth and also others. Students are encouraged to register for these tours.

E. Local 265 (Presenters: Justin Phillips)

Justin was not present to present.

F. Supply Chain OKI (Presenters: Jesse Simmons)

Jesse shares that they are collaborating with community partners to get people job ready skills. He reported on the tech cred program.

G. Sinclair (Presenters: Chad Bridgman, Todd Schilling)

Todd shares that Sinclair is working on reestablishing connections with area high schools, curriculum planning, and pre apprenticeship programs. Current Pre apprenticeship are in manufacturing, construction, law and public safety, hospitality, and healthcare.

H. Other Members

Anthony reported for Allied that they are hosting a youth hiring event in May at the Butler County Fairgrounds. He reports that they plan to also do an adult hiring event at a later time. All apprenticeship partners will be on site at youth hiring event. Higher education scholarships are also available to youth enrolled in construction programs.

IV. Discussion

How are you working collaboratively?

Attached are responses from those partners who have responded.

 [FlyerLogisticsSupplyChain.pdf](#)

 [Education Service Inventory-2 \(1\).pdf](#)

 [Allied Construction Industries Trade Association White Paper.docx](#)

Karen Karnes recapped Education and Service Flyer on Aspire Program and what is all offered.

Supply Chain OKI will be launching a lean six sigma certificate program, program will be presented to schools in January, and they believe that they can have a minimum 40 students signed up with training opportunities to begin in March.

The committee is happy to see all the partners collaborating and working together in the community.

V. Adjourn

Next Emerging Workforce (Youth) Committee Meeting is February 8, 2023 from 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm.